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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No.:	10/576,983	Group Art Unit:	Unknown
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Title:	TABLEWARE-WASHING PROCESS INCLUDING A BIOCID		

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STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

A Decision on Petition was mailed on March 12, 2008, vacating the Notification of Abandonment dated December 10, 2007. The decision indicated that the application was to be forwarded to the U.S. Designated/Elected Office for further processing.

To date, no further communication has been received from the U.S. Patent Office regarding this application, and the Application Data in PAIR still indicates the status of this case as abandoned.

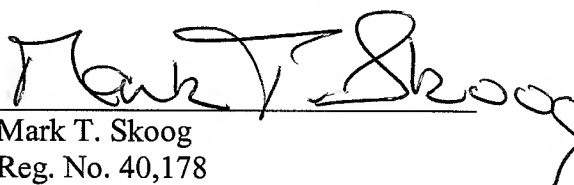
Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application and please indicate when a communication from the Patent and Trademark Office may be expected.

Respectfully submitted,  
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